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MINISTERS MUST TRAVEL AT REGULAR RATE ON RAILROADS

Governor Brumbaugh Vetoes Bill to Reduce Their Traveling Expenses

VETOES THREE OTHER BILLS

One of Them is to Set Apart Percentage of Liquor License Money in Cities to Police Pension Fund—Approves House Bills.

When ministers of the gospel in this state wish henceforth to go traveling by train, they will have to pay the same as, say, a newspaper man, which is full rate. Governor Brumbaugh vetoed among four bills Friday, one authorizing railroad and other transportation companies to give reduced rates of transportation to ministers of religion. In vetoing the bill the governor says:

"These ministers merit at the hands of the people and of the commonwealth the highest consideration, but they must, like all other citizens, conform to constitutional and statutory provisions. They have no legal status other than that of citizens, however high they should be esteemed by all persons for their unselfish and holy services."

The governor vetoed the bill to set aside a percentage of the liquor licenses in cities of the first and second class for the police pension fund.

In vetoing the bill to amend the act relating to estates of non-resident wards by extending the provisions so that they may apply where guardians and wards-trustees are residents of foreign countries, the governor says the bill would permit the property of a non-resident to be taken out of the state at any time before the limitations for proving claims have expired. This may work to the prejudice of a resident creditor since it would require such creditors to go to a court of domicile to prove claims. "It would seem wise to protect creditors at home," says the governor.

The governor also vetoed the bill to authorize courts to make awards to foreign executors and administrators in certain cases, because it would permit personal property to be taken out of the state without bond, which is of doubtful propriety.

"The function of a state law should be to protect the people of a state," the governor says.

The governor approved the following bills:

Authorizing the board of public charities to appoint two assistant general agents at \$2,500 a year and expenses.

Prescribing the duties of the assistant general agents of the state board of charities.

The following senate bills were approved:

Making mortgages given by benevolent, charitable and other institutions for permanent improvements prior liens of the state for appropriations.

Amending the act authorizing the merger and consolidation of corporations.

Regulating the printing of the laws of the state.

Special attractive bargains during U. S. A. week at the N. W. Schlup Company store in Monessen.

A-30-M-3-5

SUIT FOR \$117,435.83 AGAINST THOMPSON FILED IN WHEELING

Large Sum Claimed on Note by Beeson Brown in West Virginia Circuit—Note Made Last July.

A suit to recover \$117,435.83 on a promissory note was filed in circuit court at Wheeling Friday against J. V. Thompson, of Uniontown, by Beeson H. Brown of Clarksburg, W. Va., wealthy coal operator. The suit also involves the sureties on the note. The note was made July 2, last, and it was a six-months' instrument, due last December. The note was made payable at the Empire National bank of Clarksburg. The trial on the suit has been set for the May term of court.

DIVORCE DECREE SIGNED BY JUDGE

John Paully and His Wife, of Coal Centre Are Legally Separated

ANSWERED IN LOCAL CASE

Judge Irwin has signed a decree of divorce in the suit instituted by John Paully against his wife, Annie Paully. Infidelity was the grounds set forth in the testimony. The libellant lives at Coal Centre and was married to the respondent at Luxemburg, on June 6, 1896. They lived there for nine years and then moved to Chicago. From there they moved to California, this country. While living in California the wife made a visit back to Luxemburg, and never came back to her husband. The libellant testified that he learned his wife was living with a man named John Speidel while in Luxemburg and was going back to the United States with him. Later they did return and lived for a time together in New York. Later they came to Manifold, this county, where they were living when Speidel was arrested on information made by the libellant. Speidel was sent to jail for six months. During his time in jail Mrs. Paully, the testimony states, visited him, and when he got out she and Speidel returned to Luxemburg. A sister informed the libellant that his wife and Speidel were living together in Luxemburg. Subsequently the libellant got word that Speidel was killed in a railroad wreck, but a paper

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Special attractive bargains during U. S. A. week at the N. W. Schlup company store in Monessen.

A-30-M-3-5

Attend the National Sale of N. W. Schlup company at Monessen. Three U. S. A. spoons with every dollar purchase. Every customer receiving six spoons will receive a Roger shell sugar spoon.

A-30-M-3-5

HOME GARDENING WORK GETS BIG BOOST HERE

Pictorial Description of Duquesne Plan Given at Local Theatre by Assistant Superintendent of Carnegie Steel Plant

Home gardening work as carried on at Duquesne under a plan instituted by the Carnegie Steel company was pictorially described by stereopticon views and moving pictures at the Coyte theatre Friday night. Assistant Superintendent E. J. Hamilton, of the company, came in response to an invitation from the Child Welfare Circle, and brought along the views, well prepared to give instruction in gardening.

The views showed the homes of working people at the steel town, and of the flower and vegetable gardens that were grown last year. Pictures of the prize winners in the development of their gardens were shown. The prizes varied from \$50 cash down to small cash prizes and

honorable mention. Moving pictures were shown of the playgrounds and the celebration of a safe and sane Fourth of July. The home gardening work at Duquesne is carried on under the direction of an expert and many experts have been developed, particularly among the foreign people. The steel company is at the back of the movement for improvement of the town, and the way in which the place has been beautified is wonderful.

It is the plan of the members of the Charleroi Child Welfare Circle to institute a home gardening movement in Charleroi and to interest the children in it. The plan considered is similar to that now in effect at Duquesne.

SPECIAL TRAIN WILL CONVEY LOCAL PEOPLE

Monessen, Charleroi and Donora Members, Knights of Columbus, to Witness Exemplification of Third Degree at Scottsdale Sunday.

A special train has been engaged to carry a large delegation of Monessen, Charleroi and Donora members of candidates will be selected include dale on Sunday to attend the exemplification of the third degree of the order on a large class of candidates. District Deputy John W. Campbell, of Uniontown will confer the degree. The district from which the class of candidates will be selected from councils at Monessen, Connellsville, Uniontown and Scottsdale. Fully 200 are expected to attend the event from this vicinity.

Notice.

My wife Eva Ducoeur, having left my bed and board voluntarily notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts which she may contract in my name or for her own benefit.

Joseph Ducoeur, Charleroi, Pa. 255-44-p.

Sending Out Tags.

The county dog tax license tags are lock-shaped this year. The county treasurer is sending a number of these out to the banks over the county to which tax duplicates are being sent for collection. The tax on a male dog is \$1.50 and on a female, \$3.

The People's Home Restaurant announces the sale of home-made candies, pies, ice cream, etc. Chicken dinner tomorrow, 25 cents. We buy wholesale in Charleroi. Share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. We serve good 25 cent meals regularly. Home cooking, plenty to eat. Watch our regular ad-on another page.

255-t1-

Palace Theatre

Monday Longfellow's immortal poem, EVANGELINE, in six parts.

254-t2

RECORDS FOR MURDER TRIALS TO BE BROKEN AT MAY COURT TERM

SIX CONTAGIOUS DISEASES IN CHARLEROI AT PRESENT TIME

Health Officer William Darby Tells Board of Health About Number of Quarantine Cards Now Up.

Six contagious diseases were reported in Charleroi by Health Officer William Darby at the meeting of the Board of Health on Friday evening. There are three cases of scarlet fever, according to his report, two cases of chicken pox and one case of mumps.

During this spring Charleroi has been well off in the number of contagious diseases. In fact during last winter there was comparatively little use for the quarantine cards, excepting a while during the fore part.

Four Cases to be Heard, Breaking February's Record of Three

KROMER KILLING TO COME UP

County Ready for Investigation of New Eagle Killing—Shire Oaks Affair to be Probed, Together With Others.

The May term of criminal court which will convene Monday, May 10, and will continue in session for two weeks, will hold a record in the history in Washington county criminal proceedings, when for the first time in the history of the county there will be four persons tried for murder at one term of court. The record of murder cases at one term of court was broken at the February term with three trials, but this term will have one more, if the grand jury finds true bills against the three cases that will be presented to them, and one case will be tried which was continued from the February term.

Frank Cornish and Charles Nitroski are held for the murder of John Batez at Shire Oaks, on October 12, 1914. It is said that the killing was the result of a fight that grew out of an argument over the European war. Batez died as a result of a terrific beating which he received in the fight, and the coroners' jury found, from the evidence, that the blows which resulted in Batez's death were inflicted by Frank Cornish and Charles Nitroski. Both escaped and were not arrested until recently.

On the evening of January 19, 1915, Peter Kromer was shot and killed in the house of William Bush, at New Eagle. Just what Kromer went to the house for is not definitely known, but it is supposed that he went to arrest a brother of Bush's whom he thought was concealed there. Considerable mystery surrounds this murder. Bush was arrested about an hour later, as he was attempting to board an electric car for Pittsburg. It is alleged that there was blood on his shoes. It is known that Christine Conoway, an inmate of the house, and Harry Barton were together in Miss Conoway's room at the time of the shooting. The story goes that Charles J. Martin, a friend of Miss Conoway's, had quarreled with the latter. Martin claims that he had gone up town and that Bush was with him at the time of the shooting. From the evidence presented in the case the coroner's jury believed that the shots were fired by either Bush or Martin, and they recommended that both be held to await the action of the grand jury. They also recommended that both Harry Barton and Miss Conoway be held as material witnesses.

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KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CONFER DEGREES

Largest Class in History Receive Decorations—Notables Are Present

NEW OFFICERS IN CHAIRS

The several Knights Templar degrees were conferred on the largest class in the history of McKean Commandery No. 80, at the Masonic rooms Friday afternoon and evening. The occasion was made all the more enjoyable by the presence of a large number of visitors, which included among others high in the order, Col. Samuel W. Jeffries, of Pittsburg, division commander of division No. 2; William J. Askin, commander of Tanager commandery, No. 4, of Pittsburg; Thomas A. Waggoner, commander of St. Omer's commandery, No. 7, at Brownsville, and J. Louis Klotz, commander of Ascalon commandery, No. 59, of Pittsburg.

The first of the degrees was conferred at the afternoon session, and the remainder in the evening, the class consisting of 23 members. Dinner was taken preceding the evening meeting by the visiting officers at the Monier hotel, being led there by George W. Cooper, commander of McKean commandery. A party of about 60 took dinner at the Wilbur hotel.

During the course of the evening George W. Cooper, whose term of office expired with Friday night's meeting was formally presented with a beautiful diamond, ruby mounted, past commander's jewel. The commander-elect, William C. McAllister, made the presentation speech, to which Commander Cooper responded. He was presented with the shoulder straps as the insignia of office. Several talks were made by visiting officers and others.

Today the new year begins with McKean Commandery, and the following are the officers now serving:

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LITERARY SOCIETIES AT HIGH SCHOOL ELECT

Athenaeum and Adelphean Name Officers for Coming Year After Interesting Program is Presented—Debate On Constabulary Matters.

The Athenaeum literary society of high school gave an interesting literary program at the high school Friday afternoon, and officers for the coming year were elected by this society, and the Adelphean society. The program as follows:

Music orchestra; reading, Gertrude Stein; essay, Robert Peyton; vocal solo, Millie Newton; recitation, Amelia Heupel; essay, Rebecca Hack; recitation, Vexilla Brown; impromptu class, Virginia Sneed, Helen Sharpneck, Alphonse Boulanger; debate—Resolved that the United States should establish a constabulary, affirmative Isadore Goldsmith, negative Loyal Lutes. The debate was decided in favor of the negative.

Athenaeum officers elected were as follows: President, Ellsworth Hickcy; vice president, Russell Carl; secretary, Miss Grace Fleming.

The Adelphean society elected as follows: President, Charles Lowstutter; vice president, Chester Stahlman; secretary, Thelma Duvall.

PUPILS OF PROF. COLLIER GIVE RECITAL AT ROSCOE

Pupils of Prof. Collier, of California, appeared in a violin recital at the First Presbyterian church of Roscoe Friday night. A good program was presented. Miss Pauline Collier, of Roscoe was the accompanist. There were about 25 numbers given. Among interesting features of the program were readings given by little Ethel Lichter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lichter of Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi.

MAN 70 YEARS OF AGE WEDS WOMAN OF 39

William S. Tricket, of Washington township, Fayette county, and Miss Maud Hartman, of Charleroi were married Wednesday afternoon by Rev. W. J. Hogue, of the Second Presbyterian church, at Washington. The groom is 70 years of age, and the bride is 39.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier

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And Others

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AFTER TRUTH

Every conscientious newspaper
seeks to print the truth, eagerly re-
marks the Tarentum Valley News. It
is a common saying, "One cannot be-
lieve the papers." Many people seem
to take particular delight in affirm-
ing that journalism is only another
disguise of lying.

The people themselves are respon-
sible in a large measure for many
distorted facts, which gain the light
of day in newspaper columns. Per-
haps in no greater degree is this
true than upon the occasion of an ac-
cident.

A city editor sends out one of his
reporters to secure facts. He takes
a home where an accident has oc-
curred and at once he is refused any
information. Persons give him a gruff
reception and declare they do not
want the newspapers to have the hap-
pening.

A statement of that kind is futile
because every genuine newspaper
never relinquishes his hold upon
a story. He gets it, regardless of
obstacles. Unfortunately in many
cases second-hand information is re-
sorted to, which is certain to throw a
false light upon any incident.

The best way to deal with a news-
gatherer force of a paper is to pre-
sent the truth. Newspapers are ob-
liged to travel at high speed in
their search for events and if they
cannot get direct facts they are sure
to find the next best.

Learn to value the newspaper as
a friend not a foe. It wants to tell
the truth.

FARM WAGES

A great deal is being written and
said about the difficulty experienced
by the farmers in getting help. Me-
chanics and laborers living in cities
are eloquently urged to get out into
the country for peace and plenty,
says an exchange.

Considerable light on the question
why farm help is scarce has just
been thrown by a report issued by
the New York, New Haven and Har-
tford railroad. This company prob-
ably to promote the "Back to the
land" movement, has been collecting
statistics of the wages of farm peo-
ple. While New England wages are
higher, it finds that in the whole
United States the average farm hand
takes \$21.38 a month with board and
lodging without board.

This figure is considerably higher
than it could have been ten years ago.
The line pay without board is only
about \$7.00 per week. It is a poor
prospect for a man who can't earn
considerably more than \$7 a week in
a factory town.

Additional light on this question
was thrown the other day by a wo-
man with a wide experience in char-
ity work in the country, covering
conditions in several states. She
said that there is a growing tend-
ency among farmers to hire their
servants or boys sent out by reform
schools, orphan asylums and other
correctional or philanthropic institu-
tions. These youngsters will once in
a while skip with such pickings of
money or clothing as they can escape
with. Also they are sometimes a
demoralizing factor in a small vil-
lage of simple hearted country boys.
But as a whole, these little fellows do
steady good work and the farm ex-
perience is good for them.

The net result however, is to set a
standard of low wages for farm
help, which to discourage able bodied
men from taking up agricultural work.
What seems to be needed in order
to enlarge the supply of food products
and reduce prices, is to encourage a
greater number of young men to
go into farming on their own ac-

count. Apparently the only way to
bring that about in some sound
system of rural credits or land banks
is to conduct so successfully in
Europe.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

In reading the way in which Dr.
A. W. Hunter, toastmaster of the Bur-
roughs' Dinner, banquet of the Tarentum
Valley News, J. D. Berryman, pulled off a good job on the
general doctor, the night of the ban-
quet. Mr. Berryman related how late
Saturday night just before closing
time of his store, Dr. Hunter crept
in and informed him he was to be one
of the speakers.

"I told him point blank, 'I wasn't,'"
said Mr. Berryman, "but he gradu-
ally led me by the wrist. You know when
a doctor grabs you by the wrist it
usually costs you \$2.00 and rather
than get up and go I finally agreed
that I would."

"We talked awhile," he went on
then I asked what I was supposed
to speak about. I was informed it
was "Social Welfare." I repeated it
and mused a moment, studying the
thing. Then I said, doctor, now
what does "Social Welfare" mean?"

"The doctor blinked at me a minute
and looked at the floor once or twice
before he answered, studying as I
had. Then he grinned. 'Dern'd if I
know,'" he said.

The sally was met with a roar of
laughter at the toastmaster's expense.

There had been a most unseemly
"scrap" in the nursery. Harold had
broken little Ethel's doll and nothing
would appease her.

The maid-of-all work had unsuccess-
fully endeavored to persuade Ethel
that it was proper to forgive Harold
as he was now sorry, but all to no
purpose.

At length the maid enlisted the
services of mother.

"Now Ethel," said mother, when
she had been acquainted with the sit-
uation, "you must forgive Harold.
He says he is extremely sorry, and
you must give him a big kiss."

"I'd feel more like kissing him if
I could kick him hard first!" re-
turned Ethel frankly.

When Thomas R. Marshall, the
vice president, was governor of In-
diana, the city authorities of In-
dianapolis opened up a grand bath-
house and swimming pool. The first
thing the men in charge did was to
send the governor a card entitling
him to free admission to the estab-
lishment.

A few days after receiving the
first pass he found a second in his
mail.

Thereupon he dictated the follow-
ing letter:

"Gentlemen: Your first pass I re-
ceived as a courtesy. Your second
I regard as a suggestion. If you
send me a third I shall take it as a
personal insult."

Electric Sparks

Nothing sounds as silent as the tick
of a clock.

A judge declared lobsters are
not animals. But then, aren't some?

Many of us in responding are glad
to send regrets.

Pittsburg has an author and several
old-fashioned story tellers.

It isn't half hard arranging a
clean-up day, and it's nothing at all
to talk about it afterward.

Somebody made a mistake; that
heavyweight championship wasn't at
Havana—it is at Syracuse.

The person who said that transpar-
ent gowns are not to be the fad this
year, might not be in position to de-
terminately ascertain.

About the only time some married
couples agree is when she announces
that she wishes she had been born a
man instead of a woman.—Green-
burg Argus.

Whenever a good Democrat runs
for something that a Republican
gets, they satisfy his ambition by
placing him on the state committee.

It takes an unusual man to get in-
to the "names is names" columns.
Since the Federal league came in
to existence lawyers have to their
percentage of estates added that of
their percentage of players' salaries.

Keep a good table and don't for-
get the ladies, said Napoleon. The
former is nice to think about and the
latter impossible.

Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Bills.

"I heard an explorer lecture last
night," said the old boy, "and he says
that there are birds in Africa with bills
a yard long."

"Did he say they eat them?" asked the
other.

"Teetee!"

Houston B. Teddie has been appoint-
ed treasurer of the treasury at Wash-
ington.

There's a new bill in your name
that makes us all.

You'll excuse us if we tell, Houston B.
And we'll tell you we're sorry when your
name is on our list.

For next time if you say "Teetee!"
Teetee!

Huh!

"I notice that you publish a verse
from the Bible every day," said the
caller to the editor of the newspaper.
"Do your subscribers ever read it?"

"Should say they do," replied the
editor. "Why, it is news to most of
them."

The Byplay Minstrels.

"Well, Mr. Bones, you look angry to-
night. What is the trouble?"

"The rain tried to get familiar with
my wife, and it made me mad. Mr. In-
terlocutor."

"But how could the rain get familiar
with your wife, Mr. Bones?"

"It tried to patter on her back."

"Very good, Mr. Bones. And have
you anything to offer this evening, Mr.
Tambo?"

"Yes, sir. Can you tell me why a
pretty girl is like a wagon wheel?"

"No, Mr. Tambo, I cannot. Will you
tell us why?"

"Because she is always surrounded
by fellows."

"As soon as the stage has been clear-
ed of vegetables, eggs and bricks, Mr.
Howe E. Haulers will render that pa-
thetic ballad, 'Sir On My Left Knee,
Darling, For the Right Is Growing
Numb.'"

The Intelligent Composer.

"The bird is on the wing," I wrote.
But this phrase got the printer's goat.
Said he, "I think that is absurd.
You mean the wing is on the bird."

"Friends" Is Good.

The Frank Lewis who was arrested
for highway robbery last Monday is
not the well known Frank Sousa Lew-
is of San Jose, as supposed by many of
his friends.—San Jose Mercury.

Names Is Names.

Wolf Camel lives at Foxtown, Ky.

The Old Fashioned Blush.

Dear Luke—That old fashioned blush
that isn't hand painted is still found
among the Ozark mountains of Arkan-
sas when a young lady is caught pull-
ing Maiden Blush apples from the tree
of a bachelor friend.—Rev. John
D. Freeman, Pastor West Broadway
Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky.

An Ode to Spring.

Dear Luke:
When a fellow's feeling' rusty,
Crabbed, sour and old and rusty,
And nothing seems worth doin', nary
thing,
There's just two things to help you—
Help you hear the life that down you,
The first is Luke McLuke, the other's
spring.

—Piqua, O.

Things to Worry About.

A single fly's progeny in four months
is 4,338,304,672,000,000,000,000.

Our Daily Special.

The man who knows it all has the
most to learn.

Luke McLuke Says:

Once in awhile a man will return the
money he borrows, but he never re-
turns a borrowed book or a borrowed
umbrella.

The woman who screams with in-
dignation because her name appears
in the paper when one of her own
relatives steals a horse is the same wo-
man who screams with indignation be-
cause her name doesn't appear in the
paper when she is one of 600 women
who attend a bazaar.

You can knock the women all you
please, but they have it all over the
men. You never saw a girl wearing
ear muffs, did you?

You may have noticed that the man
who carries a whole pocketful of let-
ters of recommendation is nearly al-
ways out of a job.

Youth knows that tomorrow will be
a better day than today. Old age
hopes that tomorrow will not be any
worse than today.

The old fashioned motto, who knew
that her son was headed for the peni-
tentiary because he played marbles
for "keeps" now has a married daugh-
ter who is proud of her son because
he never loses when he plays poker.

There are a whole lot of men in this
country who are in the government
because they can't make a living with-
out working.

If you stand pat a girl will engage
herself to you, and if you run she will
sue you for breach of promise, so
what's the use. You might as well
take a chance and shoot the moon.

The push of the fellows who are
back of you may get you to the front,
but you won't stay there long.

Minding your own business and keep-
ing your house clean will help the coun-
try more than waving the grand old
flag.

MUSICAL PROGRAM TO BE GIVEN AT SCHOOL

Feature of Parents' Day Exhibit at
the Fifth Street Building to be
Renditions by Pupils of the Junior
High School.

The following program will be
rendered at the Fifth street school
Monday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock by
pupils of the Junior High School:
Part-song, "Napoli," Caracolo
Violin solo, "Traumerel," Schumann
Miss Kathryn Perry.
Chorus, "My Native Land," Von Suppe
Vocal Solo, "That's What They
All Say,"
Master James Oates.

Chorus, "Queen of Night,"

..... Meyer-Helmund

Boy's Chorus, "Bonnie Boys in
Blue,"

Clarinet Solo, "I Didn't Raise My
Boy to be a Soldier,"

Master Felix Repine.

Chorus, "Anvil Chorus," Verdi

The program will be rendered in
connection with the annual Parents'
day exhibit, and parents and friends
of the Junior High School pupils are
cordially invited to view the work
prepared.

GOVERNOR FORMALLY
ANNOUNCES ROADS DAY

Governor Brumbaugh has formally
fixed Wednesday, May 26, as Penn-
sylvania's first good roads day in a
proclamation issued at the capitol.
The proclamation calls upon the citi-
zens of the state to devote a day to
improvement of the highways in
their neighborhoods and announces
that the state highway department
will heartily co-operate in working
for betterment of the roads.

DIVORCE DECREE

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from his home informed him that
Speidel had been stabbed to death by
his own brother in a jealous quarrel
to see which one would get Mrs. Paul-
ly. The libellant also learned that his
wife was faithful while they were
living together at California.

Mrs. Eliza M. Mathews has filed
an answer to the divorce proceedings
instituted against her husband, Clem-
ent J. Mathews, of Charleroi. She
denies the charge of desertion. She
says that when they were married
she was living in Cecil with her moth-
er, and the libellant was in business
in Charleroi. His mother lived in Ce-
cil, and he came back and forth fre-
quently. She says further that after
their marriage he did not provide a
home at Charleroi to which to take
her, and requested that she remain
with his mother until he did provide
a place. She went to his mother, and
he came back and forth several times
every month. This arrangement was
carried on until matters, she states,
reached such a stage that she could
not get along satisfactorily with his
mother. She told him this, and asked
him to provide a home, and particu-
larly that he take her to Charleroi.
She states further that he replied
that he would never take her to Char-
leroi, or provide a home for her, and
following that she left his mother's
home and went to her own home.
Since then she says, he never has of-
fered to provide her a home and in-
fact has remained in Charleroi and
has not been in Cecil to see her or
to look after her and their child. On
February 19, 1913, she had him ar-
rested for desertion and non support
and upon hearing the court directed
him to pay her \$5 a week for the
maintenance of herself and child.

RECORDS FOR MURDER TRIALS

Continued from first page

Joseph Aurio is held for the mur-
der of Frank Raguso at Houston, on
the night of April 14, 1915. It seems
according to the testimony at the
coroner's inquest, that Aurio was
drunk and had gone to the boarding
house of Mrs. Lugretta Allerendri at
Houston, where he met several others.
He and Raguso got into an argument
in the house and were ordered out
by Mrs. Allerendri, who followed
them. In a few minutes Guy Bonras-
so, who was also in the house, heard
a call for help. He rushed out and
saw Raguso lying on the ground and
Aurio was attacking Mrs. Allerendri.
Bonrasso picked up a piece of pipe
and struck Aurio over the head, knock-
ing him out. Aurio was placed under
arrest and taken to the hospital. Lat-
er he was committed to jail, where
he is still nursing a sore head.

Ladies

Fau's are waiting for you with the desire
to show you some lovely white
lingerie dresses

EUGENE FAU

THE LADIES' STORE
I am sure you will find everything
you want in Ladies' Wear

Stop, Look and Reason

Young man, you had better stop that spending all you
earn, look around and see whose financial standing and
positions in the community you long to equal, and then
reason out in your own mind how they acquired these
coveted places.
You will discover that nine tenths of them saved a sub-
stantial portion of their salaries when those salaries were
small. Are you doing it? Better start TODAY. Only
requires a dollar to get started—then add to it each pay
day—and it will surprise you in a year.

Bank of Charleroi

Resources over \$1,700,000.00

FOR A TAXI

CALL BELL PHONE 199

Notice to Bidders.

Bids will be received by the Bor-
ough Clerk of Charleroi for grading
paving and curbing, Meadow avenue,
between First street and Fourth
street; Eighth street between Mc-
Kean avenue and railroad; and First
street between McKean avenue and
Fallowfield avenue. Plans and spec-
ifications can be seen at Borough
Engineer's office. Separate bids for
each street required but the entire
contract will be awarded to the
lowest and best bidder. Council re-
serves the right to reject any or all
bids. All bids to be in the hands of
Borough Clerk on or before May 4,
8 o'clock p. m., 1915.

Ira L. Nickeson,
Borough Clerk
Charleroi, Pa., April 22, 1915.
M&M-A-22-24-M-1

Notice Knights of Columbus.

A special train will leave the Mon-
essen depot on Sunday morning May
2nd at 8:30 a. m. for Scottsdale.
Members wishing to attend the de-
gree work can obtain passage to and
from that point on this train.

254-12

Attend the National Sale of N. W. Schlup company at Monessen.

Three U. S. A. spoons with every dollar pur-
chase. Every customer receiving six
spoons will receive a Roger shell su-
gar spoon.

A-30-M-3-5

British Parliament Elderly.

The British parliament is now com-
posed of more elderly men than at
any session in living memory. About
two hundred members of the commons
are with the forces either in the king-
dom or abroad, and nearly one hun-
dred and fifty peers keep them com-
pany. These 350 of the empire's law-
makers are naturally able-bodied men,
and most of them can be counted as
young. The elder members have done
their part in giving their sons. Pre-
mier Asquith has three sons serving.
Lloyd-George and Bonar Law are
among others who have made the
same sacrifice. P. Ainsworth and Sir
F. Bannister have both lost sons in
action. Several M. P.'s have been
killed.

Peanut Industry Large.

Virginia still leads in the produc-
tion of peanuts, with Oklahoma and
Texas following. The last statistics
show that there were 650,000 acres in
this country planted to this product.
Curiously enough, Marseilles, France,
is the greatest peanut consumer in
the world, owing to the use made of
the nut in the production of oil, which
substitutes to a great extent, for olive
oil.

Information for Lung Sufferers

The makers of Eckman's Altera-
tive will be pleased to send reports
of recoveries from tuberculosis and
a booklet of interest to sufferers
with information about diet and
fresh air. Investigate this case—
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"My Dear Sir:—For two years I
was afflicted with hemorrhages of
the lungs, and later I was taken
with a severe attack of pneumonia.
When I recovered sufficiently to
walk about the house I was left
with a frightful, hacking cough,
which no medicine I had taken could
allay. It was at this time, March
1902, that I started taking Eckman's
Alternative. In a short time my
cough was gone and I was pro-
nounced well. I cannot speak too
highly for the good it has done."
(Abbreviated.)
Signed: HOWARD L. KLOTZ.
Eckman's Alternative is most effec-
tious in bronchial catarrh and se-
vere throat and lung affections and
in rebuilding the system. Contains
no harmful or habit-forming drugs.
Accept no substitutes. Small size,
\$1; regular size, \$2. Sold by leading
druggists. Write for booklet of re-
coveries.

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RELIABLE FAMILY MEDICINES

at one-third price of advertised
preparations. Write for catalogue.

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SUNDAY SERVICES AMONG CHURCHES

Baptist
Bible school at 9:45 a. m. A. G. Lewis, superintendent. Communion service at 11:00 a. m. All members are requested to attend. Subject, "An All Sufficient Savior." Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Topic, "A Great Personal Question." Visitors are welcome to all the services. W. G. Carl, pastor.

First Presbyterian.
Sunday school at 9:45. Lesson subject, "Saul Tries to Kill David." 1 Samuel 18. Morning service at 11:00. Subject, "The Power of Example." Text Matt. 5:16. Junior society at 3 p. m. Senior endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:30. Subject for sermon, "The Soul in Earnest." Text Ps. 121:1-3. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Subject, "Friendship."

Lutheran
Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11:00. Subject of sermon, "The Effect of the Indwelling Word." Luther league, 6:15. Subject, "The Spirit's Call." Leader, Jennie Coulter. Vesper services with sermon at 7:30. Subject, "The Tree Climber." The public is cordially invited to all services. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

First Christian.
Fallowfield avenue near Sixth street. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. "Duty Class" at Majestic theatre. Lord's supper and preaching at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "Beginning at Home." Senior Christian endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "Joys of the Christian Life." Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Apostolic Plan of Salvation." This is the third sermon of the series of 12 on the New Testament Church. Good music and the pipe-organ are features at all of our services. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Baptismal service. The city organization meets at 8:30 p. m. Thursday weekly seminary from 6:30 to 10:15 p. m. All strangers to our city and those without a church home are cordially invited to attend the services. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

Episcopal.
St. Mary's Church, Lookout avenue and Sixth street. Service for fourth Sunday after Easter. School at 9:45. Holy communion with sermon at 11:00. Parish meeting Monday May 3, at 7:30 p. m. Meeting of the Ladies' Guild Thursday at 2:30 and of the Altar Guild Thursday at 7:30.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian
Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11:00. Sermon, "A Perverted View of Life." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Leader, Miss Elizabeth Robertson, Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Joys of the Christian Life." Leader, Chester Stahlman. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "Some Brooks by the Travelers Way." Strangers and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal.
Morning service at 10:15. Subject, "A Repentance that Commends Itself to God." Sabbath school following. Evening service at 7:30, subject, "Paul and Nero: a Contrast." Jr. Epworth league at 2:30. Epworth league at 6:30. Prayer and praise service Wednesday evening at 7:30 followed by probationer's class. Strangers will find a hearty welcome. W. G. Mead, Ph. D., Minister.

ENGINEER OF FREIGHT TRAIN KILLED IN WRECK

Charles L. Stephens, aged 35, of 11 Mason street, Pittsburgh, engineer of Engine No. 1672, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, was instantly killed in a freight train wreck in which two tenders, an engine and 12 cars were derailed at Eighty-Four Friday morning. G. D. Minard of Hays Borough, fireman on the same engine as Stephens, escaped with bruises of the body by jumping.

For Sale.
New frame house on paved street. Six rooms and bath. Grained throughout. Cement cellar, hot air furnace. This property will stand close inspection. Price reasonable, easy terms. See Walter Ryerly at Charleroi Lumber company, or 518 Washington avenue. 240-1f

Attend the National Sale of N. W. Schlup company at Monessen. Three U. S. A. spoons with every dollar purchase. Every customer receiving six spoons will receive a Roger shell sugar spoon. A-30-M-3-5

EXPERT ADVISER ON DRESS

Woman Has Achieved Success in Occupation That Is Something of a Novelty.

I heard lately of a plan adopted by one young woman that has worked out well with her, and might be of use to someone else, says a writer in the Pittsburgh Dispatch. She lives at home, but must help the family expenses, and this is how she does it. Her one talent lay in her good taste in dress. She had an instinctive feeling for what was becoming, not only for herself but her friends, and was often called in to consult over a prospective new gown. So that is what she determined to do professionally. She let her friends know that for a certain sum she would give advice on costumes, helping to arrange a whole wardrobe, and from friends she soon branched out to regular clients.

She goes to the house of her employer and looks over everything the lady has. She gives definite instructions as to what each dress or suit or waist requires to bring it up to par. She advises as to the most becoming styles and colors, and lists what new garments are necessary. Of course she regulates the expenditure according to the purses of her various clients.

She has made a success. Many women do not know what to wear, what suits them best, what to put together. She tells them. She also saves them a good deal by her cleverness in adapting what looks hopeless. She can also tell where you should go for materials; she has addresses of tailors, dressmakers and sewing women, and knows they can do what they promise. She is thoroughly up in her chosen job, in fact. She also makes a point of attending carefully to the details of a costume, making sure that each item will harmonize. The work is extremely interesting, and it pays both her and her clients.

EXPLAINING THE WILD MAN

Curious Individual Learns All About Him, Including Reason for His Wildness.

"The wonderful curi-ous-tee which you see before you, lay-dees and gentlemen," announced the sideshow lecturer, in tones admirably adapted for talking down from a great altitude to the subnormal understandings of the masses, at the same time waving an indicatory hand toward the hyper-simistic looking personage in the steel barred cage, "is the Wild man of the Everglades, captured at the cost of seven lives and eleven thousand dollars in gold! Thu-ree times a day this savage monster leaps upon great hunks of r-r-r-aw and r-r-reeking flesh and devours them with terrible ferocity and bloodcurdling yells!"

"What caused the cuss to go wild and live on raw meat?" asked a sharp nosed ruralist, interestedly.

"He lived on his brother-in-law for five years and it made him wild when his long suffering relative would no longer support him. He eats his meals raw because he is too lazy to cook them himself!"—Kansas City Star

Changing Diet of the Chinese.
Americans who have been influenced by the Orient to the extent of taking their tea clear, without milk or sugar will be astonished to learn that the Occident is now bent on teaching the Chinese to use milk with their decoction of tea leaves—and condensed milk at that.

An enterprising condensed milk company is pushing the campaign and expects to be successful. This concern has already introduced condensed milk like cream to the Chinese, and they like it so well that many of the restaurants keep it always on hand.

Practically no fresh milk is to be had in China, although the natives seem familiar enough with the virtues of both the fresh and the condensed article.

Perhaps after all of the Orientals have taken their tea clear because there was no milk to put in it and not because they thought the addition of milk ruined the beverage.

New Uses for Old Rope.

Old rope. Like old tin cans and other things generally considered as waste, has its special market and uses and in every seaport the collecting and classifying of old rope is an important business. Rope that is covered with heavy graphite or tar is even more valuable today for making oakum than lightly tarred material while hemp rope with the original heavy coating of tar worn off by weathering is often used for bag paper. A small percentage of untarred hemp rope, used in its prime for hoisting and other purposes, is being converted into cigarette paper in Europe. Scraps and waste from old tarred rope, and also old oakum removed from seams of ships, are now used for making boards.

Bamboo Blooms Slowly.
Certain species of bamboos flower only once in about fifty-five years, and strangely enough, all the trees in a locality flower about the same time. Those in Burma began flowering last year, and now they are all in blossom. The last time this species flowered was in 1829-30. They will now die and those that spring from the seeds born of this flowering will take their places and will not flower until about 1970. They may flower sporadically at other times, but the seed does not mature, for the bamboo cannot fertilize itself.

NO ADDITIONS TO THE COUNTY HOME JUST YET

Commissioners Decide Not to Approve at This Time the Proposal of The County Poor Board to Construct New Buildings.

The county commissioners have decided not to approve at this time the recommendations of the county poor board relative to the erection of additions to the county home at Arden. Recently the poor board received estimates and plans for proposed additions, to cost, it is estimated, about \$70,000. The plans provided for two wings, accommodating together about 150 additional patients.

The commissioners took no action, as to the architect or plans accepted by the poor board, but simply decided that for the present they would not give their approval to the proposition. This action is based, they say, on several reasons. One of these is that they do not believe the county is able at this time to spend the money that will be needed, and while the cost is estimated at \$50,000; it is considered that more money would be needed before the work would be completed.

The commissioners admit the county home has been crowded the past winter, but say that the increase is not a permanent one, that it has been a hard winter, that many men have been out of work, and that the large number at the home is exceptional, and that altogether the demand for more room at the home at present is not imperative.

CLINTON HOWARD TO LECTURE HERE MONDAY

Noted Temperance Orator to Appear At High School Auditorium at Temperance Mass Meeting—Campaign Now Being Waged.

A big temperance mass meeting which promises to be one of the greatest of its kind held in Charleroi lately, will take place on Monday evening next, May 3, at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

The speaker will be Clinton N. Howard, "the Little Giant," who is probably the most popular speaker on the temperance platform today. Mr. Howard, it will be remembered, was in Charleroi last year, when he addressed a large audience in the Methodist Church.

The meeting next Monday night is part of a nation-wide campaign in the interest of total abstinence. The National Abstinence Union, under whose auspices this work is being conducted, is a department of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, which officially represents thirty religious denominations with 17,000,000 members. The movement was formally launched on March 15, when Secretary of State W. J. Bryan addressed 20,000 men in the "Billy" Sunday tabernacle in Philadelphia.

In this campaign thirty days have been assigned to the principal towns of western Pennsylvania. During the past week large meetings have been held. On Tuesday evening of next week Mr. Howard will address a big union rally at Monongahela.

Arrangements for the Monday night meeting are in charge of a local committee composed of representatives from each of the churches, the Anti-Saloon league, the Prohibition party, the W. C. T. U., and other prominent citizens. Dr. F. C. Stahlman is chairman of the committee.

CHARLEROI PROPERTY TRANSFERS RECORDED

February 20, 1915—Carrie C. Black, et al., McKeesport, to T. D. Williamson, Charleroi, a lot fronting 40 feet on Meadow avenue, Charleroi, and extending back 105 feet; consideration \$1.

April 20, 1915—Aifree D. Barker, Fayette City, to Angelo Alterese, Charleroi, a lot fronting 22 feet on Washington avenue, Charleroi, and extending back 100 feet; consideration \$1.

April 10, 1915—Emma C. McKean, Lock No. 4, to Joseph Simmonon, et ux., Charleroi, a lot fronting 40 feet on Shady avenue, Charleroi, and extending back 100 feet; consideration \$1.

August 12, 1915—Alice V. Sheppard, et al., Charleroi to Magie M. Wigham, California, a lot 50.45 by 156.59 feet in North Charleroi; consideration \$1.

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Motor Starter—\$90 more than on other Light Fours.
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Spanking does not cure children of bad habits. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summer, 2215 W. Notre Dame Ind., will send free to any mother her "Secret" home treatment, which full instructions. Send no money, but write her today. I your children trouble you in this way, don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and a great people troubled with wine addiction by day or night.

WHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for "Whichester's Diamond Brand Pills." They will cure all your troubles. Take no other. Any of your friends who are troubled with "Whichester's Diamond Brand Pills," they will cure all your troubles. Sold by Druggists Everywhere.

NEIGHBORLY ADVICE

Freely Given by a Charleroi Citizen

When one has suffered tortures from a bad back and found relief from the aches and pains, that persons advice is of untold value to friends and neighbors. The following neighborly advice comes from a Charleroi resident.

Mrs. D. F. Worthington, 914 McKean avenue, Charleroi, says: "I was troubled by backache for years. The pains were so intense it made me sick all over. In the morning when I tried to get up, I was worse. Wherever I stooped, a sharp pain darted through me and I could hardly catch my breath. Often it was just as though a knife was being stuck into me. I was tired all the time. I had rheumatic pains throughout my body. My feet became swollen. Two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Piper Bros., Drug store relieved me of all symptoms of the trouble. I now take Doan's Kidney Pills once or twice a year as a kidney tonic and they always help me."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Worthington had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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E. J. CHARLES, Manager.

We have for sale:

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14 lots on Woodland Avenue \$175 to \$200
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We have also other vacant lots and houses located in different parts of the town at very reasonable prices. COME AND SEE US.

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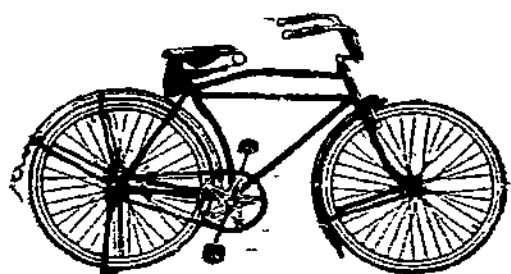
Halls, Stairs and Room designs, Tapestry and Velvet Brussels, Ingrains, Grass Matting for porches, Congoleum Rugs for porches and kitchens, awfully pretty designs and water won't hurt them—in fact you can leave out on porches during any rain. We've hundreds of Rugs of all sizes. If you would save money on your carpet purchases better see our lines. It is well to know that Charleroi's Big Store carries full stocks. You can get it here, and the quality will not be sacrificed. We invite you to shop at this store.

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Charter Notice.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania, at 10 o'clock, a. m., Monday, May 17th, 1915, by S. L. Woodward, Charles Pearce and Charles S. Van Voorhis, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called **WOODWARD FURNITURE & CARPET COMPANY**, the character and object of which is the conduct of a wholesale and retail mercantile business, including the manufacture and sale of household furnishings, and for these purposes to have, possess, and enjoy all the rights, benefits, and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto.

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AMONG THE THEATRES

COYLE—CHARLEROI

Beginning with a five-part special picture entitled "The Heart of Maryland", one of the best weeks of the spring season was experienced at the Coyle theatre. Mrs. Leslie Carter, one of the most talented emotional actresses before the theatre going public enacted the leading role in "The Heart of Maryland", the first picture shown in connection with a new film service that Manager Coyle has recently contracted for. Elsie Janis, one of the most clever actresses of the legitimate drama was featured in "Caprices of Kitty," a story of an unruly school girl was shown Tuesday. The picture was written by Miss Janis and is a romantic comedy of

the most interesting kind. Thursday the Paramount picture was "Sunshine Molley," with Lois Weber and Phillip Smalley in the leading roles. Other good pictures shown during the week were "Maid of the Mist", "The Artist's Wife", "Olive's Hero" and a number of comedy pictures.

MAJESTIC—CHARLEROI

A number of special attractions featured the program at the Majestic theatre this week. Monday a William Fox attraction entitled "The Children of Ghetto" was featured. On Tuesday a variety program was shown including some excellent photo-plays, among which were "The Spirit of the Bell", a two-part picture, "The Cameo Ring" and "The Primitive Spirit". Wednesday Orrin Johnson, the popular dramatic star was featured in "Salah Sanderson". This picture was a dramatization of the novel of the same name. The story portrayed was one of a wayward boy a romantic and loving blind girl and an indulgent father. Irene Warfield enacted the role of Jessica, the blind girl. Other good pictures shown were "The Aoklawn Handicap", "His Brother's Debt", "Love, Fireworks and the Janitor" and "Putting One Over". Nance O'Neil was featured in the "Kruetzer Sonata" by Count Leo Tolstol Friday.

PALACE—CHARLEROI

Good motion pictures and an excellent vaudeville program made the Palace theatre one of the chief amusement places of the past week. Special photo-plays were shown on Monday Wednesday and Thursday. On Monday the well known dramatic star of the American stage, Mrs. Leslie Carter, was featured in "Du Barry", a drama of the days of Louis XV of France. Wednesday Clara Kimball Young, a motion picture favorite enacted the leading role in "Lola". The picture was adapted from the play by Owen Davis. Thursday Francis X. Bushmap and J. C. Travers were shown in a three-part special picture entitled "The Lady of the Snows". The vaudeville program of the week was featured by a comedy sketch presented by Leslie Mitchell and com-

pany. Raymond and Temple a team of clever singers and dancers and Correy, a comedian of ability, contributed the other two numbers of the program.

GRAND—PITTSBURGH

Preceding Nazimova in "Wa-Brides" by one week, Eva Tanguay the cyclonic comedienne and the fourth in succession of great stars forming the headline features for "five wonderful weeks," is to begin her engagement in the Grand Opera House on next Monday afternoon, May 3. Miss Tanguay, like the big attractions which she follows and which are to follow her, will be found in an environment of the classiest acts that vaudeville affords—entirely surrounded, as it were, by talent of the first rate. Tanguay dares anything. She is bizarre; she is unique; she is the personification of personality, a firefly finful and fascinating here, there and everywhere, always moving, always gestulating, always challenging your attention. There, that is Tanguay. Hear her for yourself when she comes along next week. Wyatt's Scotch Lads and Lassies are among the attractions that will be presented in the same program with the effervescent Tanguay. They are eleven in number and direct from the land o'heather. From the time the curtain rises until its fall this picturesque act is pure Scotch. The scenery is heather, the songs are typical Scotch, there is a bagpipe band, there are Scottish dancers, and there is a bonnie burr of the Burns dialect, and kilted lads and lassies too, in skirted plaids and tartans. Stantley and Norton will offer a group of songs garnished with comedy, travesty and a few numbers at the piano. Roma's seven athletes will appear in whirlwind acrobatics. Elsie Faye and Company, in new specialties of songs and dances and divers others, and then moving pictures—these form the prospectus for the fourth of the "five wonderful weeks" which are making new vaudeville history in the Grand Opera House.

ALVIN—PITTSBURGH

Joseph Santley, one of the most popular of the younger musical comedy stars will be seen in a new musical piece, "All Over Town," at the Alvin next week beginning May 3. Joseph Santley's first stellar appearance in a musical comedy was in Philip Bartholomew "When Dreams Come True." It is rather curious to learn that this delightful young comedian was once the star of "Bilby the Kid" and "Lucky Jim." "All Over Town," which is presented under the auspices of the Shubert Theatrical Company is a musical fantasy in two acts and nine scenes and employing a company of 75 people. The book is by Joseph Santley, the lyrics by Harry B. Smith and the score by Silvio Hein. "All Over Town" is described as being a "rollicking rhapsody of fun and frolic, song and dance," in which a "drove of delectable dancing divinities are seen to admirable advantage."

PERSONALS

H. J. Booth and son William are visiting at Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Gelder and daughter Eva of Washington avenue visited at Pittsburgh Saturday.

Donald Eniex was a caller in Donora Saturday.

Edwin Booth and Harry Caison went to iPittsburg Friday to visit for a few days.

Donald Kellor is visiting at Finleyville.

Samuel McDowell went to Washington to visit over Sunday.

Miss Margaret Galey, with Miss Herschey, returned Saturday morning from Orlando, Fla., where they spent the winter.

Frank Myers is here from Jacksonville, Fla., where he has been spending several months.

Miss Mollie Craven, of Pittsburgh has been here to visit with Miss Lula Trew.

Mrs. William Pearson and Miss Edlie Pearson of Crest Avenue spent Saturday in Pittsburgh.

VARIED LIST OF CASES ON GRAND JURY LIST

Many Cases of Unusual Nature to Receive Attention When Members of Jury Convene—Total of \$3 on The List.

When the grand jury meets next, Monday, May 3, they will have a list of criminal cases presented to them which is probably as varied as any grand jury has ever had to consider in this county. There are only 33 cases, which is rather small but nearly every crime in the calendar, from simple assault and battery to murder, is in the list. It is not likely that true bills will be found in all cases, as there are usually some against whom the evidence is very meager, but this term of criminal court which will convene Monday May 10, will be one of the most important in the history of the county, as there are more serious offences charged than at any term of court for a long time.

As usual the number of persons charged with violating the liquor laws stands at the head of the criminal list, with 14. The next in number are those charged with larceny, 11, and assault and battery, 11. Aggravated assault and battery comes next with four, while the other crimes are as follows: Carrying concealed weapons, four; murder, three; felonious breaking and entry, three; larceny from the person, three; rape, three; crimes against morality, several different charges, seven; arson, two; felonious assault and battery, two; larceny by bailer, two; keeping disorderly houses, one; extortion, one; fraudulent secretion and removal of goods one; attempt to commit felonious breaking and entry, one; perjury, one; bigamy, one.

WILL BE GIVEN TRIAL
ON MAY TWELFTH

Considerable excitement was caused at the little mining town of Vanvoorhis, near Monongahela, on New Year's eve, by a fight which occurred at a christening at the home of Mike Proden, and during which John Sandara had been beaten to death and another man, Charles Krovac, was badly injured. John Schmutzer was charged with the murder and he was captured during the day. The February grand jury found a true bill against him, but at the request of his counsel the case was carried over until the May term of criminal court. It has been set for trial on Monday, May 17.

There is still another chapter to the story of this fight and murder. After Charles Krovac was released from the hospital he returned to his boarding house at Vanvoorhis, but he was in such a weakened condition that he was unable to go to work and his boarding boss refused to allow him to remain. Application was made by his friends and he was sent to the county home.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

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Commander, William C. McAllister; generalissimo, Charles S. McKean; captain general, Lawrence B. Frye; recorder, Frank J. John; treasurer, W. R. McKean; senior warden, Thomas L. Pollock; junior warden, Percy H. Johnston; warder, Dr. Edwin McKay; standard bearer, Paul E. Teschke; sword bearer, Robert L. Elwood, Jr.; sentinel, Fred W. Wolff.

Ban on Slot Machines.
Constable C. E. Titus at Donora has served notice on all dealers to cut out punch boards and slot machines that have a gambling feature. The same edict has gone out in various valley towns recently.

Special attractive bargains during U. S. A. week at the N. W. Schlup Company store in Monessen.

A-30-M-3-5

LICENSE YEAR BEGINS; MYFORD BAR IS OPENED

In this county some hotel bars went out of business, and others went into business today, owing to the operation of the liquor license laws, this being the first day of the license year. In Charleroi one new hotel bar was opened up, that of the Myford, of which George M. Fellows is the owner and proprietor.

PRICE OF MILK DROPS FROM 10 CENTS TO 8

The cost of living has dropped, that is if you use much milk. This morning the surest indication of the coming of summer was recognized when the price of milk dropped from 10 to eight cents per quart. This is the price which is to hold all this summer.

RUSSIAN CRUSHED TO DEATH IN VESTA MINE

John Jurininsky, a Russian 23 years of age, was killed this morning by being crushed between a car and the side of an entry at Vesta No. 5 mine of the Vesta Coal company, at Fredericktown. Jurininsky leaves his wife and one child living at Marianna.

NEEDED ONE OF TWO THINGS

Irritated Judge Forced at Last to Make Pertinent Suggestions to Witness.

"The business man of the past loved to wear goggles. He thought they made him look more capable and honest. He thought they drew trade. But the gay, dancing business man of today, with his tango matinees and maxixe teas, can't bear the thought of goggles, for he wants, up to the age of sixty, to look like a college boy."

The speaker was Jerome S. McWade, a retired millionaire business man of Duluth. With a bitter laugh, Mr. McWade went on:

"I heard a gay, young dancing business man of fifty-seven summers get a good call in court the other day. He was reading a document—without goggles, of course—and he stumbled and stuttered and kept holding the document farther and farther from his poor eyes."

"The judge got mad at last and roared at him."

"For goodness sake, Mr. Smith, get one of two things—get a pair of goggles, or a pair of spectacles!"—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

CLASSIFIED!

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. Inquire 490 Mail office. 214tfp

FOR RENT—Store room at 619 Fallowfield. Apply at Marucci Barber shop. 223-tf

WANTED—To rent a six room house in down-town district. Four of a family, no children. Tenant will take excellent care of property. Address 487 Mail. 228tfp

WANTED—By dressmaker, an apprentice. Inquire 529 Fallowfield avenue, third floor. 253-tfp

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet, stove oil cloth and iron bed, 619 Fallowfield avenue. 253-tf

FOR RENT—Three rooms, bath and use of laundry, 619 Fallowfield avenue. 253-tf

WANTED—Washing by the day. Dresa Sabo, 918 Shady avenue. 254-tfp

FOUND—Card case on Sixth street. Owner may have same by paying for this ad at Mail office. 255-tf

FOR SALE—Favorite gas range, in good condition. 819 Fallowfield avenue. 255-tf p.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, Monday, at the home of Mrs. Robb, Fourth Avenue, Lockview. 255-tf.

FOR SALE—New massive davenport, genuine oak and leather. Cheap for cash. Call 208 Crest avenue. 255-tf p.



Scene from Longfellow's Immortal Poem, Evangeline, in five Acts, at The Palace Theatre on Monday.